

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please change the title as follows:

SELF-BALLASTED FLUORESCENT LAMP AND LUMINAIRE

Following the title, please insert the following paragraphs:

Cross-Reference to Prior Application

This is a U.S. National Phase application under 35 U.S.C. §371 of International Patent Application No. PCT/JP2004/003196 filed March 11, 2004, and claims the benefit of Japanese Patent Application No. 2003-081506 filed March 24, 2003 both of which are incorporated by reference herein. The International Application was published in Japanese on October 7, 2004 as WO 2004/085914 A1 under PCT Article 21(2).

Please replace the paragraph starting from page 6, line 24 with the following amended paragraph:

--A luminaire according to the present invention has a main body, and a self-ballasted fluorescent lamp, ~~as described above as claimed in any one of the claims from claim 1 to claim 11 and attached to the main body.~~ This feature of the invention offers an increased selection of luminaires to which a self-ballasted fluorescent lamp is applicable.--

Please replace the entire paragraph of BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS section starting from page 7, line 1 with the following amended paragraph:

--Fig. 1 is a side view of a partially-cutaway self-ballasted fluorescent lamp according to a ~~first~~an embodiment of the present invention;

Fig. 2 is an exploded side view of a base and its vicinity of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp;

Fig. 3 is a top view of a one-package switch of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp;

Fig. 4 is a side view of the one-package switch of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp;

Fig. 5 is a circuit diagram of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp;

Fig. 6 is a side view of a partially-cutaway self-ballasted fluorescent lamp according to a ~~second~~another embodiment of the present invention;

Fig. 7 is a perspective of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp without a globe;

Fig. 8 is a bottom view of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp without the globe;

Fig. 9 is a top view of a first face of a circuit board of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp;

Fig. 10 is a bottom view of a second face of the circuit board of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp;

Fig. 11 is a development of a fluorescent lamp of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp;

Fig. 12 is a side view of a luminaire using the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp;

Fig. 13 is a top view showing the connection configuration of a one-package switch of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp according to a ~~third~~further embodiment of the present invention;

Fig. 14 is a sectional view showing how a one-package switch of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp according to a ~~fourth~~an embodiment of the present invention is mounted;

Fig. 15 is a sectional view showing how a one-package switch of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp according to a fifth embodiment of the present invention is mounted;

Fig. 16 is a bottom view of the second face of a circuit board of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp according to a ~~sixth~~further embodiment of the present invention;

Fig. 17 is a side view of the base and its vicinity of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp according to ~~an~~a seventh embodiment of the present invention; and

Fig. 18 is a side view of the base and its vicinity of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp according to ~~an~~an eighthanother embodiment of the present invention.--

Please replace the paragraph starting from page 8, line 9 with the following amended paragraph:

--~~An~~A first embodiment of the present invention is shown in Figs. 1 to 5, wherein Fig. 1 is a side view of a partially-cutaway self-ballasted fluorescent lamp; Fig. 2 is an exploded side view of a base and its vicinity of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp; Fig. 3 is a top view of a one-package switch of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp; Fig. 4 is a side view of the one-package switch of the

self-ballasted fluorescent lamp; and Fig. 5 is a circuit diagram of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp.--

Please replace the paragraph starting from page 21, line 14 with the following amended paragraph:

--Next, a self-ballasted fluorescent lamp according to ~~a second another~~ embodiment of the present invention is shown in Figs. 6 to 12, wherein Fig. 6 is a side view of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp shown in a partially-cutaway state; Fig. 7 is a perspective of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp without a globe; Fig. 8 is a bottom view of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp without the globe; Fig. 9 is a top view of a first face of a circuit board of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp; Fig. 10 is a bottom view of a second face of the circuit board of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp; Fig. 11 is a development of a fluorescent lamp of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp; and Fig. 12 is a side view of a luminaire using the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp. The basic structure of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp according to the present embodiment is similar to that of the self-ballasted fluorescent lamp 1 shown in Figs. 1 to 5.--